

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

ReliaStar Life Insurance Company.

Case #2:18-cv-01166-APG-NJK

Plaintiff(s)

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL.**

vs.
Jaclyn R. Hafter, individually and as Trustee
of the Hafter Family Trust dated June 12,
2011, et al.

Defendant(s).

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

Jodi K. Swick
(name of petitioner)

, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

McDowell Hetherington LLP

(firm name)

with offices at _____ 1 Kaiser Plaza, Suite 340
(street address)

Oakland
(city)

California
(state)

94612
(zip code)

510-628-2145, jodi.swick@mhillp.com
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by

Plaintiff ReliaStar Life Insurance Company to provide legal representation in connection with [client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

7 4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District
8 Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts
9 of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good
10 standing of the bars of said Courts.

	Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
11	Central District of California	January 5, 2005	228634
12	Northern District of California	December 29, 2003	228634
13	Eastern District of California	December 23, 2005	228634
14	Southern District of California	August 20, 2013	228634
15	Western District of Washington	February 12, 2018	47626
16	Ninth Circuit Court of Appeal	December 29, 2003	228634
17	Washington State Bar Association	July 23, 2014	47626
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19 5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,
20 nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory
21 or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or
22 disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

None.

6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

None.

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

The State Bar of California; Washington State Bar Association

10 8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2
11 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

	Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
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14	None	_____	_____
15	_____	_____	_____
16	_____	_____	_____
17	_____	_____	_____
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(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

20 9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the
21 State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same
22 extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

23 10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of
24 the members of the bar of this court.

25 11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to
26 practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.

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5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

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7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Griffith Hayes as
8 (name of local counsel)
his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

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(party's signature)

11 Karen Cooper AVP, Senior Counsel
12 (type or print party name, title)

13 _____
(party's signature)

14 _____
(type or print party name, title)

15 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

16 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

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18 _____
Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

19 7374 _____
20 Bar number Hayes@litchfieldcavo.com
21 _____ Email address

22 APPROVED:

23 Dated: August 10, 2018.
24 _____
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26 _____
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

Petitioner's signature

STATE OF California)
COUNTY OF Alameda)

Jodi K. Swick, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That the foregoing statements are true.

Petitioner's signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

2 day of August, 2018

see attached notary certificate

Notary Public or Clerk of Court

**DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO
THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Griffith Hayes,
(name of local counsel)
Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of said designated Nevada counsel is:

Litchfield Cavo LLP - 3993 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 100
(street address)

Las Vegas, Nevada, 89169
(city) (state) (zip code)

702-949-9301, Hayes@litchfieldcavo.com
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

California Notary Jurat Certificate:

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document, to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California }

County of ALAMEDA }

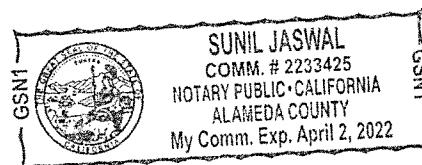
Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 2nd day of August, 2018,

by _____ JODI K. SWICE

Proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me.

(Seal)

Signature of Notary Public





THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA

180 HOWARD STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA 94105-1617

TELEPHONE: 888-800-3400

CERTIFICATE OF STANDING

June 27, 2018

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that according to the records of the State Bar, JODI KRYSTYN SWICK, #228634 was admitted to the practice of law in this state by the Supreme Court of California on December 5, 2003; and has been since that date, and is at date hereof, an ACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; and that no recommendation for discipline for professional or other misconduct has ever been made by the Board of Trustees or a Disciplinary Board to the Supreme Court of the State of California.

THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D.V." followed by a stylized surname.

Denise Velasco
Custodian of Records